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## SEMINAR BEGINS THURSDAY AT UM ON LEGAL PRINCIPLES OF SURVEY

A comprehensive seminar on the legal principles of boundary location will begin Thursday (March 9) at 8 a.m. at the University of Montana.

The 2½ day meeting will honor William R. Bandy of Helena, an early contract surveyor for the General Land Office, a predecessor of the Bureau of Land Management.

More than 150 participants are expected for the seminar which is sponsored by the UM Forestry School in cooperation with the Montana Association of Registered Land Surveyors and the Montana State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors.

Manfred L. Haiges (HIE-GUESS), UM forestry instructor and seminar coordinator, said the seminar is designed to bring together representatives of the many fields associated with land law to discuss mutual problems. Among the participants will be surveyors, engineers, lawyers and real estate and title specialists.

Seminar discussion leaders are Ira M. Tillotson and Robert Shelton. Dr. Eldon R. Dodge, professor and head of Civil Engineering Mechanics at Montana State University in Bozeman, will discuss the professional registration of land surveyors in Montana. Other speakers, representing law, real estate and title guaranty, will present views of problems that they feel exist between their professions and that of surveying.

Mr. Haiges said anyone may attend by writing or calling him at the UM Forestry School. A registration table also will be set up in the Lodge Territorial Room Thursday. The \$5 registration fee includes the cost of lunch on Thursday and Friday.